

Wonderful Growth of the Town of Skaguay.

Another Seattle man at once gave him \$100 with which to take out his feed, for he had already gotten his goods some distance along the trail. But this was only the beginning of Davison's bad luck. He was one of the first on the trail, and worked beyond his strength. Just past the summit he had an attack of pneumonia, and, getting worse instead of better, had to give up. He is now here waiting for the next steamer, having left his outfit with his partner, who hopes to sell it to some one who will pay for the

chants, and perhaps it will be soon, when the steamers are fewer and passengers on them not numerous enough to be worth mentioning. But there is a population of over five hundred still in tents, and it is believed that there will be continual coming and going until the beginning of December, to be then renewed the month following. So many merchants, however, has had the effect of bringing down prices, which, considering the freight charges, are now rapidly getting to the bottom, making it nearly as cheap to winter

Equipped For War.
It has always been Lord Wolseley's boast that when starting upon a campaign his equipage is of the lightest, consisting of little more than a tooth-brush and a clean shirt.

Numerous Big Cities.
There are known to be 209 cities in the world with populations of over one hundred thousand persons each.

FLYING FROM THE YUKON PIERCED BY
AN ARROW.

in formation that it could be ascribed to no tribe of Indians in the United States or in any other country. Finally Professor O. T. Mason, of the National Museum, said the bird and arrow could have come from no other place of the globe than the Yukon Valley. Thousands of miles the goose had flown with an arrow in its breast before turning up its legs at the shot of a Hoosier farmer.

A little girl at Wilmington, Del., pushed a bean up her nose, and died from ensuing blood poisoning.

Port Deposit, Md., is aroused over discoveries of gold in the vicinity.

spirits, he feels very small later on in life when he finds himself bound by a chain of his own forging; for the drink habit is a chain that shackles a man's mind and destroys his will.

